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Dear Examiner:

Please see the attached Interview Request Form being sent to you on behalf of Mr. Jordan Becker.

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/777,418
Examiner: Tarek ChboukiFirst Named Applicant: Robert M. Amitano
Art Unit: 2165 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Examiner Chbouki (2) Jordan Becker(3) Primary Examiner (4) _____Proposed Date of Interview: TBD Proposed Time: 1:00 or later (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO
If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues (Rej., Obj., etc) | Claims/ Fig. #s | Prior Art Theimer | Discussed | Agreed | Not Agreed |
|--|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <u>Rej. 102</u> | <u>1, 16</u> | <u>Theimer</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Theimer does not disclose all of the limitations of Claim 1 or Dependent Claim 16. Applicant proposes to rewrite Claim 16 in Independent form. Applicant also wishes to discuss the possibility of adding Claims directed to subject matter described in Para. [0018] of Applicant's Specification.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.
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This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Jordan M. Becker

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

39,602

Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

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